

County Based Funding Practices and Ranking Questions developed by Local Work Group (LWG) For FY2008				
1.	County name			Dyer
	The Beginning Farmer Payment Schedule Rate for this county is			75%
2.	PRAC. CODE	CONSERVATION PRACTICE NAME	UNITS	<p>The Local work Group Recommended Using These Practices</p> <p><i>(A "yes" has been entered for those practices available in this funding pool to use in your county. Blank practices are not available with this ranking tool but may be available from other funding pools.)</i></p>
	342	Critical Area Planting (Ac)	Ac	YES
	328	Conservation Crop Rotation (Ac)	Ac	YES
	410	Grade Stabilization Structure (No)	CY or DIFT or Ton	YES
	464	Irrigation Land Leveling (Ac)	CY	YES
	442	Irrigation System, Sprinkler (Ac)	Ac	YES
	449	Irrigation Water Management (Ac)	Ac	YES
	512	Pasture and Hay Planting (Ac)	Ac	YES
	600	Terrace (Ft)	CY	YES
	620	Underground Outlet (Ft)	DIFT	YES
	638	Water & Sediment Control Basin (No)	CY	YES

3. **LOCAL ISSUES:** Your Local Work Group developed the following yes or no questions to be used in the County Base Ranking Tool. Points will only be awarded with a Yes Answer.

Question #	Question	Points	Responses
1	Will the application of this practice result in the conservation of soil from gully erosion?	100	Yes No
2	Blank	95	Yes No
3	Blank	90	Yes No
4	Will the application of this practice result in the conservation of soil from sheet and rill erosion?	85	Yes No
5	Is this the producer's first EQIP application?	80	Yes No
6	Blank	75	Yes No
7	Blank	70	Yes No
8	Blank	65	Yes No
9	Will the application of this practice result in the improvement of ground and/or surface water quality?	60	Yes No
10	Blank	55	Yes No
11	Blank	50	Yes No
12	Will the application of this practice result in the conservation of irrigation water?	45	Yes No
13	Blank	40	Yes No
14	Blank	35	Yes No
15	Does the conservation plan include seeding of cropland into permanent pasture, hayland, or native species.	30	Yes No
16	Blank	25	Yes No
17	Blank	20	Yes No
18	Blank	15	Yes No
19	Blank	10	Yes No
20	Blank	5	Yes No